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## **House National Security Committee**

### **Floyd D. Spence, Chairman**

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### **SPENCE ANNOUNCES LEADERSHIP OF HOUSE NATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE**

House National Security Committee Chairman Floyd D. Spence (R-SC) announced today the committee's Republican leadership composition for the 105th Congress. "As Chairman, I am glad to have Chairmen Hunter, Bateman, Weldon, and Hefley back as their support and dedication throughout the 104<sup>th</sup> Congress was instrumental to the committee's success. I would also like to congratulate Congressman Steve Buyer as he assumes his new responsibilities as the Chairman of the Personnel Subcommittee. I believe the committee, the Congress and the nation are extraordinarily fortunate to have this lineup of committed and qualified individuals spearheading the committee's efforts as we continue our commitment to ensuring that U.S. Armed Forces are the best prepared and equipped force in the world."

The House Committee on National Security Subcommittee Chairmen will be:

Military Procurement - Rep. Duncan Hunter (R-CA)

Military Readiness - Rep. Herbert H. Bateman (R-VA)

Military Research and Development - Rep. Curt Weldon (R-PA)

Military Installations - Rep. Joel Hefley (R-CO)

Military Personnel - Rep. Stephen E. Buyer (R-IN)

Spence also announced his intention to re-appoint two full committee panels – the Special Oversight Panel on Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) to be chaired by Congressman John M. McHugh (R-NY) and the Special Oversight Panel on the Merchant Marine to be chaired by Congressman Bateman (R-VA).

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